

Amendments Submitted: Pages S7600–20

Authorities for Committees to Meet: Pages S7620–21

Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—266) Pages S7563–65

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 6:59 p.m., until 3 p.m. on Monday, December 17, 2018. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7626.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Armed Services: Committee ordered favorably reported 38 nominations in the Air Force, Army and Marine Corps.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Finance: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Courtney Dunbar Jones, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of John Barsa, of Florida, to be an Assistant Administrator, and Bonnie Glick, of Maryland, to be Deputy Administrator, both of the United States Agency for International Development, and Christopher Paul Henzel, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Yemen, Michael S. Klecheski, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Mongolia, Sarah-Ann Lynch, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Co-operative Republic of Guyana, Matthew John Matthews, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Brunei Darussalam, Carol Z. Perez, of Virginia, to be Director General of the Foreign Service, Lynne M. Tracy, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Armenia, Earle D. Litzenberger, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Azerbaijan, Kyle McCarter, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya, Arthur B. Culvahouse, Jr., of Tennessee, to be Ambassador to the Commonwealth of Australia, and a routine list in the Foreign Service, all of the Department of State.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 7290–7315, and 2 resolutions, H.J. Res. 145 and H. Res. 1179, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors: Page H10211

Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Poe (TX) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H10173

Suspension—Proceedings Resumed: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure. Consideration began Tuesday, December 11th.

Calling on the Government of Burma to release Burmese journalists Wa Lone and Kyaw Soe Oo sentenced to seven years imprisonment after investigating attacks against civilians by Burma's military and security forces: H. Res. 1091, amended, calling on the Government of Burma to release Burmese journalists Wa Lone and Kyaw Soe Oo sen-

tenced to seven years imprisonment after investigating attacks against civilians by Burma's military and security forces, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-a-and-nay vote of 394 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 435.

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Amend the title so as to read: "Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that atrocities committed against the Rohingya by the Burmese military and security forces since August 2017 constitute crimes against humanity and genocide and calling on the Government of Burma to release Burmese journalists Wa Lone and Kyaw Soe Oo sentenced to seven years imprisonment after investigating attacks against civilians by the Burmese military and security forces, and for other purposes."

Pages H10174–75

Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 2018: The House agreed to take from the Speaker's table and concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 6964, to reauthorize and improve the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974.

Pages H10175–84

Amending the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 to reform the procedures provided under such Act for the initiation, review, and

resolution of claims alleging that employing offices of the legislative branch have violated the rights and protections provided to their employees under such Act, including protections against sexual harassment: The House agreed to take from the Speaker's table and pass S. 3749, to amend the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 to reform the procedures provided under such Act for the initiation, review, and resolution of claims alleging that employing offices of the legislative branch have violated the rights and protections provided to their employees under such Act, including protections against sexual harassment.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, December 17th.

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Senate Referrals: S. 1158 was held at the desk. S. 1580 was held at the desk. S. 2076 was held at the desk. S. 3031 was held at the desk. S. 3482 was held at the desk. S. 3748 was held at the desk.

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appears on page H10189.

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of today and appears on pages H10174–75. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Committee Meetings

NIGERIA AT A CROSSROADS: THE UPCOMING ELECTIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights, and International Organizations held a hearing entitled “Nigeria at a Crossroads: The Upcoming Elections”. Testimony was heard from Tibor P. Nagy, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State; and Ramsey Day, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Africa, U.S. Agency for International Development.

EXPLORING ALTERNATIVES TO FETAL TISSUE RESEARCH

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on Healthcare, Benefits and Administrative Rules; and Subcommittee on Government Operations held a joint hearing entitled “Exploring Alternatives to Fetal Tissue Research”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS: A CASE STUDY ON THE CLINTON FOUNDATION

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on Government Operations held a hearing entitled “Oversight of Nonprofit Organizations: A Case Study on the Clinton Foundation”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BUSINESS MEETING

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Full Committee held a business meeting to honor the Memory of Damon P. Nelson; and to consider unclassified and classified Committee Activity reports. The Committee honored the memory of Damon P. Nelson. An unclassified report on the Roles and Missions of the Defense Intelligence Agency; a classified report entitled “First Classified Report”; and a classified report entitled “Second Classified Report” were adopted. This hearing was closed.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2018

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: to receive a briefing on best practices for keeping families safely together, 10:30 a.m., SD-G11.